

To Senator Gerratana and Representative Johnson and members of the Public Health Committee:

*My name is Cheryl Aiello from North Salem, NY. I am writing in support of **Raised Bill 6592: An Act Concerning Certified Homeopaths**. I strongly support this bill for **statutory recognition**. I support allowing Homeopaths who have achieved the highest level of homeopathic education and training through national certification to be recognized to practice homeopathy in Connecticut.*

Homeopathy is a safe, affordable and gentle modality of health care. There is an increasing demand for more natural healthcare. Homeopathy has given me side effect free results where western medicine has failed.

-There is an antiquated law from 1893 that says only medically trained people can practice homeopathy in CT, of which there are a very few. With so few homeopaths in CT, people either never hear about this option or must travel to another state to find a homeopath. Access to a well trained homeopath is very limited in CT and this is an antiquated law that need to be looked at for todays times and demands for homeopathy.

- the proposed legislation keeps the bar high by allowing nationally board certified classical homeopaths (CCHs) to be able to offer their services in CT. The CCH is the highest level of achievement for a professional homeopathy and the credential is

recognized worldwide. Working with a trained, board certified homeopath would benefit many people in so many ways.

You must support **Bill 6592: An Act Concerning Certified Homeopaths**.